BOARD OF EDUCATION BEEVILLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Subject: Emergency Operations Plan **Date:** February 21. 2006

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CONSENT

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

With the passing of Senate Bill 11 during the 79th regular Legislative Session, Texas took great strides to ensure the safety of every student and employee throughout the state. Senate Bill 11 requires that each school district adopt and implement a multi-hazard emergency operation plan. The plan must address mitigation, preparedness, response and recovery. District employees must receive training on how to respond to emergencies and organize mandatory drills with the coordination of local emergency management agencies. Additionally, a security audit of the district facilities must be conducted every three years and reported to each district's board of trustees.

To assist districts, the Texas School Safety Center (TxSSC) provided Emergency Operations Planning (EOP) through Regional Education Service Centers so districts could become compliant with Senate Bill 11. A template was provided at each training so districts would have a sample to develop their own EOP. Six Beeville ISD staff members attended the training and utilized the template to create the BISD plan that has been submitted for board approval. The plan must be implemented by March 1, 2006 to be compliant with Senate Bill 11. The EOP and the EOP Annex compliments the Emergency Procedures (flip chart) that was developed by Dr. Hardwick and Annette Sanchez at the end of last year.

These plans can be located on the internet at http://dci.beevilleisd.net/board.htm. (Please note there is no www.) If you would like a paper copy of these documents, please contact Cindy Clendennen.

ITEMS ADDRESSED:

Beeville ISD Emergency Operations Plan and Emergency Operations Plan Annex

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Approve the Beeville ISD Emergency Operations plan and Emergency Operations Plan Annex

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

There is no cost incurred for the adoption of the plan, however, in the future, the security audit may cost approximately \$2000 depending on the process delivered by TxSSC.